

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the Abstract at page 9, lines 1-11, as follows:

An ~~The ventilation assembly designed to cool for ventilating~~ a stator ring (1) of a turbine machine, ~~finishes on gas blower manifolds (3) composed of symmetric half shells (7 and 8) attached by welding at their opposite edges and joined together by distributors (4) composed mainly of cylindrical coils acting as spacers placed between the manifolds (3) and welded to them. Finally, the flexible support means comprise rules (6) to complete the assembly of the manifolds to the ring (1) having branched pipes that include feed pipes, distributors, and a plurality of manifolds adjacent to the stator ring and provided with drilled holes. The distributors connect the feed pipes to the plurality of manifolds, and the plurality of manifolds include pairs of half-shells, each of the half-shells including an end plate having an opening and a rim surrounding the end plate, and the half-shells in each of the pairs being joined to each other at the rims. The distributors include ducts mounted between adjacent ones of the plurality of manifolds and have open ends fitted into openings of the end plates and have abutment portions to the end plates.~~

FIGURE 1.